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VIA E-MAIL and HAND-DELIVERY

Mary Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
One South Station, 2nd Floor
Boston, MA 02110

RE: NSTAR Electric, D.T.E. 03-121

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned matter is an original and six (6) copies of the following:

- 1. Direct Testimony of Elaine Saunders;
- 2. Direct Testimony of Sean Casten;
- 3. Direct Testimony of Thomas W. Smith;
- 4. Direct Testimony of Spiro Vardakas; and
- 5. Notice of Appearance on Behalf of the Energy Consortium.

Kindly file and docket same. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Granger

RMG:nbc Enclosures cc: David S. Rosenzwieg (by hand)
William Stevens (by hand)
John Cope-Flanagan (by hand)
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Boston Edison Company Cambridge Electric Light Company Commonwealth Electric Company D/b/a NSTAR Electric

D.T.E. 03-121

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have this day served the foregoing documents upon the service list in the above-entitled proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 220 C.M.R. 1.05.

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March 16, 2004

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